## Fiscal Year 2012/2013 Budget Highlights and Goals

## **County Clerk/Elections**

## **FY2012 Highlights**

- The County Clerk's Office used the Statewide Voter Registration Data Base to assist in the elimination of duplicate voter registrations within the State of Illinois and 13 other states.
- Updated the voter registration file to capture all deceased/expired registrants by use of the Statewide Voter Registration System.
- Successfully used scan guns to verify voter information at early voting locations.
- Monitored State and Federal laws to ensure compliance with bilingual voting requirements.
- Automated the applications for absentee ballots by placing the process on the County Clerk's website saving taxpayer dollars in postage and labor cost.

## FY2013 Goals

- Automate and enhance the early voting process to address and prevent any type of voter fraud.
- Promote civic responsibility to encourage volunteerism in the election process (election judges, poll set-up, etc).